

Awardees

Principal Applicant	Project Title (Project No.)
Excellent Research Awards	
Prof CHIEN Wai-tong The Chinese University of Hong Kong	An Evaluation of the Effectiveness of Adherence Therapy for Patients with Schizophrenia: A Randomized Controlled Trial (10111671) (Administering Institution: The Hong Kong Polytechnic University)
Prof Richard CHOY Kwong-wai The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Clinical Application of an Established Target-enrichment Massively Parallel Sequencing Method for Genetic Screening and Diagnosis of Hereditary Hearing Loss Patients with Normal array CGH Result (01120256)
Prof JIN Dong-yan The University of Hong Kong	Roles of Epstein-Barr virus-encoded miR-BART microRNAs in viral persistence and transformation of epithelial cells (12110962)
Prof Stephen TSUI Kwok-wing The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Whole Exome Sequencing to Dissect the Genetic Factors behind Developmental Delay and Learning Difficulties (01120596)
Prof Eliza WONG Lai-yi The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Validation and valuation of the preference-based health index using EQ-5D-5L in the Hong Kong population (11120491)
Prof Vincent WONG Wai-sun The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Dietary determinants of endotoxemia and nonalcoholic fatty liver disease - A population study (11120621)
Excellent Health Promotion Project Awards	
Dr Derek CHEUNG Yee-tak The University of Hong Kong	Promotion and brief intervention of smoking cessation at the smoking hotspots (06130205)
Dr TANG Hoi-yin Kwai Chung Hospital	A training workshop for foreign domestic workers caring for elderly with dementia at home (28140014)
The Most Promising Young Researcher Awards	
Dr Jasper CHAN Fuk-woo The University of Hong Kong	Epidemiology, seroprevalence, and clinical manifestations of immunodeficiency due to autoantibody against interferon gamma in Hong Kong (13121342)
Dr Alexander LAU Yuk-lun The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Neutralizing antibodies to interferon-beta therapy in Chinese patients with relapsing and remitting multiple sclerosis: a pilot study (01120486)
Best Poster Awards	
Dr Larry CHOW The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	The use of a novel synthetic flavonoid to improve bioavailability of paclitaxel: a pharmacokinetic, mechanistic and in vivo efficacy study (02131036)
Prof Benjamin John COWLING The University of Hong Kong	Intra-season waning of influenza vaccination effectiveness in children (HKS-18-E18)
Dr Esther LAU Yuet-ying The Education University of Hong Kong	Effects of sleep disturbances on disrupted affective cognition in individuals with depression (12132951)
Dr Peggy OR Pui-lai The Education University of Hong Kong	School children: An active role in disease prevention (29150014)